

County of Placer **GRANITE BAY MUNICIPAL ADVISORY COUNCIL**P. O. Box 2451, Granite Bay, CA 95746-2451

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Granite Bay Community,

The Granite Bay Municipal Advisory Council (MAC) has been directed by the county to conduct our meetings more in line with the way the Board of Supervisors meetings are held and to follow Robert's Rules of Order during our meetings. This is to ensure all Municipal Advisory Council meetings within the county are being conducted properly and in the same format. In addition, the adjustments should help speed up the meetings, which will be especially helpful during heavy schedules such as that for the upcoming meeting. I will go over these changes at the start of the next meeting so that there is no confusion on the part of the MAC members or audience participants.

Public comment - The presenter will have three minutes to make their comment(s) and each presenter will be allowed only one three minute period to comment on everything they want to talk about. No discussion or "give and take" between or among the public and/or MAC will be allowed.

Agenda items- After the presenter has finished, the MAC will get comments from the county, then comments from the public. Members of the public can not ask questions directly of the presenter. If their comment is in question form and a MAC member thinks it should be answered immediately then that member can direct the presenter to answer the public question. Otherwise, the MAC will take public comment, add it to their own concerns and then ask the presenter questions after all public input is received. After the MAC has exhausted their questions, we will go back to the public for comment on anything that came up during MAC discussion and that was not previously covered. Final MAC input will then be taken.

Thank you for your understanding as we try to ensure our meetings run efficiently in an effort to allow everyone who would like to make their voice heard that opportunity.

Walt Pekarsky Chairman, Granite Bay MAC

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